

Measures that passed in the 2019 Session

Bill/Reso Number	Title & Bill Description
SB0464	RELATING TO PRIVATE PROPERTY. Authorizes a property owner or agent to enter adjacent property under certain conditions to eradicate albizia trees before they become hazardous. Provides defense to criminal prosecution.
HB0201	RELATING TO INVASIVE SPECIES. Clarifies that state, county, and authorized agents' authority to enter private property to control and eradicate invasive species also applies when there is a reasonable suspicion that invasive species are present on that property.
HB0297	RELATING TO MOSQUITO VECTOR CONTROL. Directs the Department of Agriculture (DOA) to review the Aedes aegypti mosquito with Wolbachia bacteria and place it on the appropriate animal import list. Requires DOA and the Department of Health to collaborate on a report to the legislature with recommendations for appropriate vector control programs.
SR15/HC R25/HR30	REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND HAWAII TOURISM AUTHORITY TO REPORT TO THE LEGISLATURE ON THE PROCESSING OF STATE OF HAWAII PLANT AND ANIMAL DECLARATION FORMS, INCLUDING THE COSTS INVOLVED, AND CONVENE A TASK FORCE TO REVIEW THE EFFICACY OF SUCH FORMS
SR121	WITH INTERESTED STAKEHOLDERS, INCLUDING THE HONOLULU HARBOR USERS GROUP, IN ASSESSING THE RISK OF AQUATIC INVASIVE SPECIES TO HAWAII, VECTORS, AND POSSIBLE MITIGATIONS, IN PREPARATION FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF NEW FEDERAL STANDARDS IN 2022.
SR112	RESOURCES DIVISION OF FORESTRY AND WILDLIFE IN THE COUNTY OF HAWAII TO PRIORITIZE THE CONTROL OF HIGH-THREAT INVASIVE SPECIES

Measures that did not pass in the 2019 session

Bill/Reso Number	Title & Bill Description	Death	Committee Resp
HB0571	RELATING TO TAXATION. Provides a temporary, refundable tax credit to owners of real property for albizia tree trimming or removal performed under certain conditions. Applies to taxable years beginning after 12/31/2019, but shall not be available for taxable years beginning after 12/31/2021.	Not heard	WLH/EEP
HB0213	RELATING TO PRIVATE PROPERTY. Authorizes a property owner or agent to enter adjacent property under certain conditions to eradicate albizia trees before they become hazardous. Provides defense to criminal prosecution.	Not heard	JDC
SB0443	RELATING TO REAL ESTATE DISCLOSURE. Requires disclosure of albizia trees and associated risks in a disclosure statement as part of the sale or transfer of residential real property.	Not heard	CPH/WTL
HB0746	RELATING TO AQUATIC BIOSECURITY. Requires the Department of Land and Natural Resources to charge an aquatic biosecurity risk assessment service fee and conduct activities to detect and prevent the introduction or spread of alien aquatic organisms. Appropriates funds for staffing and operating expenditures for aquatic biosecurity.	Not heard	WLH/EEP

HB0750	RELATING TO AQUATIC BIOSECURITY. Requires the Department of Land and Natural Resources to charge an aquatic biosecurity risk assessment service fee and conduct activities to detect and prevent the introduction or spread of alien aquatic organisms. Appropriates funds for staffing and operating expenditures for aquatic biosecurity.	Not heard	EEP/WLH
SB1162	RELATING TO BIOSECURITY. Authorizes the department of land and natural resources to collect an aquatic biosecurity risk assessment service fee and conduct activities under its jurisdiction to detect and prevent the introduction or spread of alien aquatic organisms. Appropriates funds.	Not heard	WTL/AEN/TRS
HB1546	RELATING TO ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION. Requires the University of Hawaii to develop a plan to be implemented for the statewide eradication of mosquitos. Appropriates funds.	Deferred	Conference
HB0230	RELATING TO RAPID OHIA DEATH. Appropriates funds to the Department of Land and Natural Resources for containment and prevention of the spread of pathogens causing rapid ohia death in Kauai county, including funds to be used in collaboration with the Research Corporation of the University of Hawaii and the Kauai Invasive Species Council.	Not heard	EEP
HB0265	RELATING TO INVASIVE SPECIES. Appropriates funds to the Department of Land and Natural Resources for the substantial reduction and eradication of certain invasive species in Maui County.	Not heard	EEP
HB0561	RELATING TO INVASIVE SPECIES. Establishes the invasive species rapid response special fund. Establishes procedures for emergency declarations and expenditures. Appropriates money.	Not heard	FIN
HB1171	RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES. Makes an appropriation to the Department of Land and Natural for the Native Resources and Fire Protection Program.	Not heard	WAM
SB0523	special fund. Adds ten full-time equivalent (10.0 FTE) positions to the department of land and natural resources per the Hawaii interagency biosecurity plan. Adds four full-time equivalent (4.0 FTE) positions to the department of agriculture and requires the department submit a report to the legislature. Appropriates funds for positions and for execution of the Hawaii interagency biosecurity plan.	Not heard	AGR
SB0685	of land and natural resources' division of forestry and wildlife, Maui branch, for invasive species technician positions in east Maui to address invasive plants and animals.	Not heard	WAM
SB0697	RELATING TO INVASIVE SPECIES. Appropriates funds to the Department of Land and Natural Resources for the substantial reduction and eradication of certain invasive species in Maui County.	Not heard	AEN/WTL
SB0871	RELATING TO INVASIVE SPECIES. Appropriates funds to the department of land and natural resources' division of forestry and wildlife, Hawaii branch, for invasive species technician positions on Hawaii island to address invasive plants and animals.	Not heard	FIN
SB0922	RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES. Appropriates funds for capital improvement projects of the department of land and natural resources.	Not heard	WAM
SB1140	RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES. Appropriates funds for portions of the Hawai'i interagency biosecurity plan to enhance protection of Hawai'i's natural resources, agriculture, human health, and way of life.	Not heard	WAM

HB1083	RELATING TO RAPID OHIA DEATH DISEASE. Protects the State's ohia forests for future generations by appropriating funds to the Department of Land and Natural Resources for ongoing research, survey and control, expedited removal of hooved animals, and public outreach.	Not heard	WLH
HB1577	the State's biosecurity program. Authorizes and funds a pilot program using dogs to detect fireworks in inbound cargo from state harbors and inter-island transport.	Not heard	PVM/TRN
SB0602	RELATING TO A STATE LOTTERY. Establishes a state lottery commission to implement a lottery, of which excess proceeds are deposited into the pest inspection, quarantine, and eradication fund to prevent the introduction of, and control the spread of, invasive species. Authorizes the commission to establish multistate lottery games. Appropriates funds.	Not heard	GVO/AEN
HB1095	RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE. Appropriates funds to the department of agriculture for feral pig control.	Not heard	FIN
HB872	RELATING TO ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION. Prohibits the use of glyphosate herbicides on or within 100 feet of a school during normal hours.	Deferred	AGR/EEP
HB1575	RELATING TO PESTICIDES. Prohibits the use of any pesticide use unless the user is certified by the Department of Agriculture. Requires DOA to include an educational component in the pesticide use certification process.	Deferred	AGR/EEP
HB0964	RELATING TO THE STATE BUDGET. Appropriates funds for the operating and capital improvement budget of the Executive Branch for fiscal years 2019-2020 and 2020-2021.	Not heard	FIN
SB0923	RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES. Appropriates funds for operating expenses of the department of land and natural resources.	Not heard	WLH
SB0924	RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES. Appropriates funds for operating expenses of the department of land and natural resources.	Not heard	WLH
SB0485	RELATING TO BIOSECURITY. Increases the amount of barrel tax deposited into the agricultural development and food security special fund.	Not heard	Conference
SB1490	RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES. Appropriates funds for operating expenses of the department of land and natural resources.	Not heard	WLH
SB1150	RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE. Appropriates funds to the department of agriculture for feral pig control.	conference	Conference
SCR55/SR39	REQUESTING THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU TO CONDUCT A MANAGEMENT AND FINANCIAL AUDIT, TO INCLUDE OPERATIONS AND PROCUREMENT, OF ITS ANIMAL CONTROL CONTRACT WITH THE HAWAIIAN HUMANE SOCIETY.	Not heard	WAM
HCR189	WITH INTERESTED STAKEHOLDERS, INCLUDING THE HONOLULU HARBOR USERS GROUP, IN ASSESSING THE RISK OF AQUATIC INVASIVE SPECIES TO HAWAII, VECTORS, AND POSSIBLE MITIGATIONS, IN PREPARATION FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF NEW FEDERAL STANDARDS IN 2022.	Not heard	WLH
SCR155	WITH INTERESTED STAKEHOLDERS, INCLUDING THE HONOLULU HARBOR USERS GROUP, IN ASSESSING THE RISK OF AQUATIC INVASIVE SPECIES TO HAWAII, VECTORS, AND POSSIBLE MITIGATIONS, IN PREPARATION FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF NEW FEDERAL STANDARDS IN 2022.	Not heard	WLH/EEP/TRN

SCR145	RESOURCES DIVISION OF FORESTRY AND WILDLIFE IN THE COUNTY OF HAWAII TO PRIORITIZE THE CONTROL OF HIGH-THREAT INVASIVE SPECIES	Not heard	FIN
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